

ARKANSAS BLACK HISTORY



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Arkansas Baptist College is a private historically black liberal arts college in Little Rock. It was founded in 1884 as the Ministers' Institute; the name was changed to Arkansas Baptist College in 1885. The school moved to its current location in 1893. It boasts one of the oldest academic buildings in the state. It is the only historical black Baptist school west of the Mississippi River. The school has a history of activism in civil rights, starting with Joseph Booker who actively fought against the separate coach law of 1891.



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